



The Executive Office on Aging (EOA) leads the **Hawai'i Aging Network of County Area Agencies on Aging** and partners with diverse community resources in preparing for a rapidly growing aging society.

The EOA advocates, plans, develops, and evaluates policies and programs. It designates and administers funds made available to County Area Agencies on Aging for the delivery of services to older adults and caregivers. The Older Americans Act and Hawai'i Revised Statutes authorize and fund the implementation of multi-year Plans on Aging.

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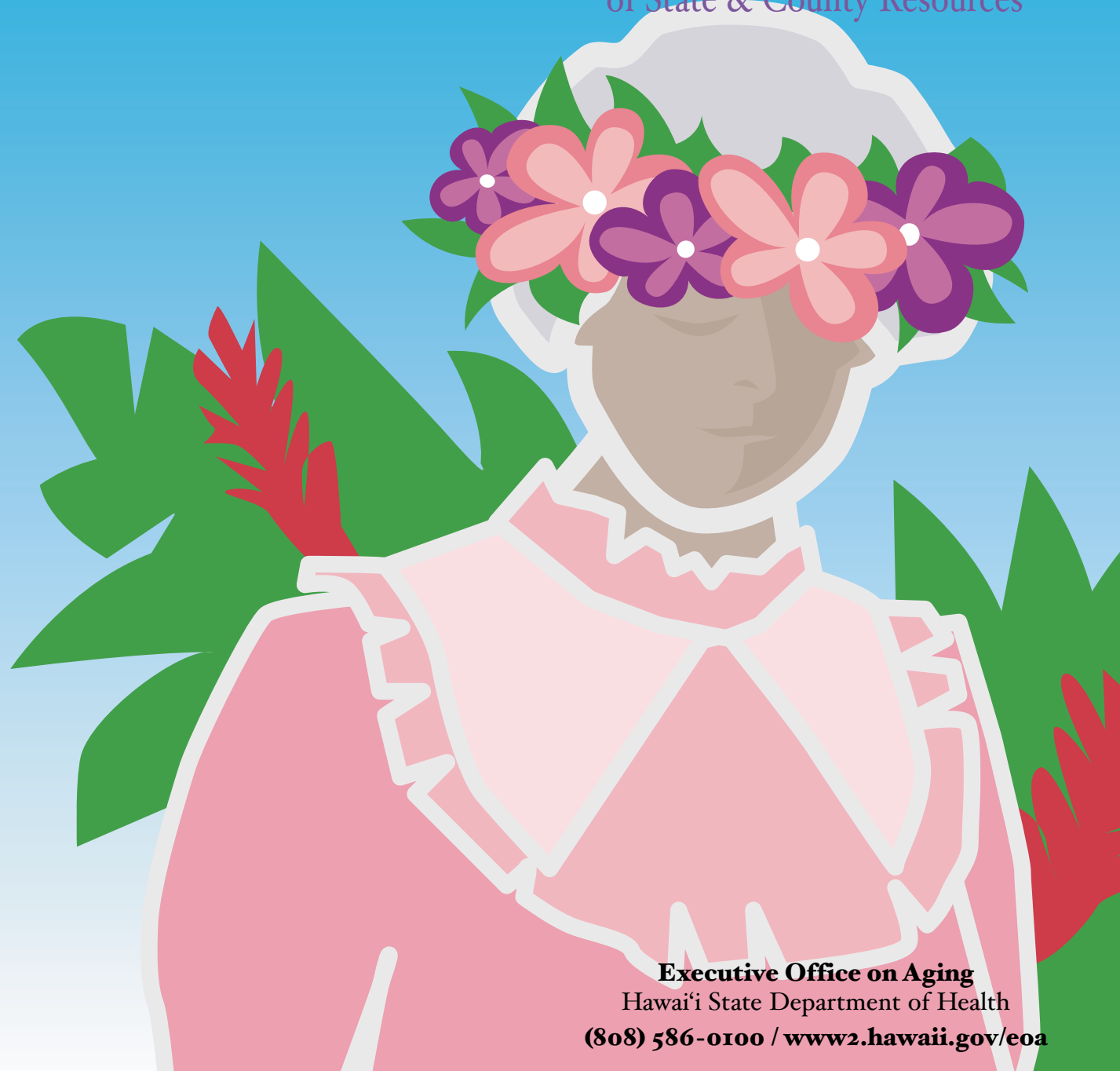
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HAWAII AGING NETWORK

of State & County Resources



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The State and County aging offices annually serve an estimated 15-20 percent of Hawaii's 207,000 adults 60 years and older – and their family and informal caregivers – through federal, state and county programs that:

- Inform the public about aging issues, needs, and available resources.
- Enable legal and transportation access to a diverse range of services for elders of greatest need.
- Provide case management, personal care, and caregiver support services that enable frail individuals to remain in their homes for as long as possible and delay costly institutional care.

KAUA'I COUNTY

Kaua'i Agency on Elderly Affairs – 241-4470

Alu Like Native Hawaiian Elders* – 245-8545

CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU

Elderly Affairs Division – 523-4545

Alu Like Native Hawaiian Elders – 535-1328

MAUI COUNTY

Maui County Office on Aging

Wailuku – 270-7774; Lahaina – 661-5486;

Hana – 248-8833; Moloka'i – 553-5241;

Lāna'i – 565-6282

Alu Like Native Hawaiian Elders

Maui – 242-9774; Moloka'i – 553-5393

HAWAII COUNTY

Hawaii County Office of Aging

Hilo – 961-8600; Kona – 327-3597

Alu Like Native Hawaiian Elders – 961-2625

*Alu Like Inc. is an Older Americans Act grantee and is listed to increase public awareness..

Older adults also play a critical role in shaping policy, developing programs and resources that benefit Hawaii's communities. They serve on appointed State and County advisory committees, lead senior organizations, and serve people of all ages. Older adults are also recruited and trained by the Executive Office on Aging to assist the following programs that counsel older adults regarding rights, entitlements, and services they may be eligible for, including health insurance programs.

Sage PLUS – 586-7299 or 1-888-875-9229
Health Insurance Counseling including public and private programs like Medicare and Medicaid.

Sage Watch – 586-7281 or 1-800-296-9422
Medicare and Medicaid Fraud Prevention Education

Long Term Care Ombudsman – 586-7268
Advocates for residents of licensed care facilities.



The Executive Office on Aging is leading long-term initiatives that will benefit older adults and the communities they live in.

Hawai'i Caregiver Support

Family members, friends and neighbors contribute greatly to society's ability to care for its aging population. Caregivers greatly reduce government costs in long term care. A major task for the Hawai'i Aging Network and its partners is to sustain and strengthen the caregiver role.

Healthy Aging Project

The Healthy Aging Project is a partnership between public sectors, private sectors, non-profit organizations, families, individuals, and communities working together to improve the health status of older adults.

The Executive Office on Aging works in partnership with and provides technical assistance to the public and private sectors in order to coordinate problem solving and to make the best use of resources that benefit Hawaii's aging society.

Planning and policy development require good data. The Office is working with the County Area Agencies on Aging to assure accurate data collection regarding older adults and caregivers and is also working with University of Hawai'i resources to assure quality and accessible data for policy makers, researchers, and the community.

